FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The Stringency in the Money Market Unaffected by Legal Agitation.

The Rate on Call Ranges from One-Half Per Cent a Day to Seven Per Cent Per Annum, Closing at One-Eighth Per Cent.

THE STREET ACCEPTING THE SITUATION.

A Quiet and Stronger Market at the Stock Exchange.

MONEY COMING FROM THE INTERIOR.

The Gold Market Unsettled and the Premium Lower.

DECLINE IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Revival of the Rumors of Intended Interference of the Treasury for the Relief of the Money Market.

WALL STREET, MONDAY, April 14-6 P. M. }
On 'Change to-day.cotton was dull, and for future delivery ruled %c. per pound easier. Plour was steady. Wheat was firm, and corn was in fair request, at slightly advanced figures.

The failure of the extensive silk and velvet im-porting house of Escher & Co., with liabilities ranging, according to estimate, as high as \$1,250,000, was reported this morning. Details of the matter will be found in another column. COMPARISON OF THE IMPORTS.

The total imports of foreign merchandise at the port of New York during the week ending April 12, and since the beginning of the year, compare as fellows:

For the week. 1871. 1872. 1873. Dry goods.....\$2,380,178 \$2,707,892 \$1,483,656 Gen. merchandise-3,433,679 7,902,758 4,787,702 Total......\$5,813,857 \$10,670,650 \$6,271,358 Prer. reported....101,745,580 112,353,304 120,998,613 Since Jan. . . . 1. \$107,559,437 \$123,023,954 \$127,179,971

THE MONETARY STRINGENCY. The stringency in the money market was about as severe as ever, at least for a good portion of the day, the interchange of money at usurious rates being in remarkable contrast to the spectacle of a Grand Jury seated not a quarter of a mile away nvestigating the charges of violation of the law. During the day a number of rumors prevailed of intended Treasury interference to relieve the money market, in connection with which came special advices from Washington saying that the recent visit of President Grant to

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY and interview with him had no reference to the subject of modifying the Treasury programme with a view to affecting the New York money market. It was also asserted on behalf of Assistant Secretary Sawyer that his recent trip to this city had no connection with the monetary crisis. With all this denial of matters, which found their origin in the hopes of the borrowing part of the street, there was a more cheerful tone, notwithstanding the stringency and strong belief in its early abatement, especially as it was reported that the express companies had brought nearly two and a half mil-

lions of CURRENCY FROM THE INTERIOR in the consignments of to-day. The rate on call in the usual way went as high as % per cent and interest, but % per cent was frequently paid-for turning some of the high-priced stocks, such as Rock Island. As the day advanced the market became easier, and before three o'clock a good deal of money had been loaned at 1/2 per cent, one small transaction occurring at plain 7 per cent, which was the general rate among the government dealers throughout the day. The demand continued until after three o'clock, however, and borrowers at the close were willing to pay % per cent for acas may be fancied, altogether neglected. The outstanding extra greenbacks this evening are \$2,400,000, an increase since last report of \$119,000. The United States Treasury balances now stand as follows:-Currency, \$2,100,000, and coin, \$70,700,000. The coin certificates in circulation amount to

The continued scarcity of money led to a further reduction in the rates of foreign exchange, the eading drawers lowering their rates for sterling to 10714 for sixty day and 10834 for sight bills. This decline, as well as the rather easier signs in money at the close, induced a steady feeling in the for eign exchanges late in the day, when the market left off as follows:-Sterling, sixty days' commercial, 106% a 106%; do., good to prime bankers', 107 a 107 W: do., short sight, 108 W a 108 W: Paris, sixty days, 5.364 a 5.314; do., short sight, 5.26% a 5.26%; Prussian thalers, 70% a 71; Antwerp, 5.35 a 5.30; Switzerland, 5,35 a 5,30: Hambury, 94 a 94%: Amsterdam, 39% a 39%; Frankfort, 40% a 40%; Bre men, 94 a 94%. GOLD LOWER-118% A 118%.

The gold market, in the absence of quotation from London, where Easter Monday was cele brated as a close holiday, was unsettled by alter nating local influences. It opened strong, and adcanced from 11814 to 11834, as if in direct obedience to elique manipulation, and thence declined to 118%, as if the clique had made a market to sel apon. The rumors from Washington of intended extra gold sales by the government had their in fuence for a while, however much they were counted or disbelieved at the close. The course of the market is shown in the table :-

four per cent per annum to 3-32 a day for carrying operations of the Gold Exchange Bank wer 3s follows:-

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THE RAILROAD BONDS.

The railroad bends were moderately active an prices firm, outside Central Pacific firsts and Union Pacific land grants, which were heavy and lower Michigan Southern seconds brought 991/4 cast ston, Hartford and Eric firsts sold to a small ex

SOUTHERN SECURITIES LOWER.
In the Southern State bonds the Te were weak and declined to 78%, the on transactions recorded at the Board bein souris, which were about steady at 93%. lowing were the closing quotations as fi were made:—Tennessee, ex-coupon, 79 do., new, 78½ a 79; Virginia, ex-coupon, do., registered stock, old, 36 a 40; do., si soudated bonds, 53¼ a 53½; do., sixes, scrip, 13½ a 14; Georgia sixes, 70 a 75; do. 87 a 90; North Carolina, ex-coupon, 30 a 31 North Carolina Railroad, 57 a 60; do., fund 19 a 22; do., do., 1868, 17 a 20; do., new, do., special tax, 14 a 15; Missouri sixes, 9 do., Hannibal and St. Joseph, 90 Louisiana sixes, 42 a 47; South Carolina si 40; do., new, January and July, 19 a 20; April and October, 27 a 30; Arkansas sixes, 39 a 42.

GOVERNMENTS LOWER. The government list was lower, with the in gold, but lost ground in less proporti after a decline of 34 per cent and a pret business in the leading issues, railied close, even when gold was at the lo the day. The following were the closing tions:-United States currency sixes, 113% do. do., 1881, registered, 117 a 11714; do coupon, 120% a 120%; do. five-twenties, reg May and November, 112% a 113%; do. do coupon, do., 117% a 117%; do. do., 1864, do. d a 117%; do. do., 1865, do. do., 119% a 119% 1867, registered, January and July, 116% a 1 do., 1865, coupon, do., 117 a 117%; do. do., do., 119% a 119%; do. do., 1868, do. do. 117%; do. ten-forties, registered, 111 a do., coupon, 113% a 113%; do. fives of 18 tered, 114 % a 115; do. do. do., coupon, 115 STOCKS UNSETTLED AND STRONG.

The stock market was quiet in its genera as were, in fact, most departments of but Wall street during the day, the speculative being in abeyance pending the string money and the solution of the legal problet the Grand Jury. Meantime a petition has b into circulation for signatures by the bank all business men down town asking the G of the State to recommend to the Legisla enactment of a special bill repealing th laws for the city and county of New York. When the document has received names enough to attest the wishes of the business community it will be forwarded to Albany. Under the hopes of a not distant raising of the monetary siege the transactions in stocks were generally on

A FIRMER BASIS, and at times the market was disposed to be buoyant, as indicated in the case of New York Central, which rose from 100% to 101%, with as high as 109 paid, buyer three days. In the same way Western Union to ched 86, buyer five days, and was actively dealt in at 85%, regular way. Panama rose to 110½ in a lively spurt at the close. A rally of about three-quarters per cent in Boston, Hartford and Erie was quite a consolation to the more juvenile operators of the street. Pacific Mail, true to its proverbidi character for wide and frequent fluctuations, vibrated between 56% and 57%, retaining, like the mathematical frog in the well, something of an advance between each rise and

HIGHEST AND LOWEST PRICES. The following table shows the highest and lowest prices of the principal stocks during the day:-

to 115%. Pennsylvama declined to 113%. SALES AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. Monday, April 14-10:15 A. M.

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COMMERCIAL REPORT.

Cotton Dull; Receipts at the Ports, 10,898 Bales-Flour Steady-Wheat Firm-Corn Firmer-Pork Steady-Firmer-Grocertes Generally Quiet-Petroleum Dull and Lower-Spirits Turpentine Firmer-Rosin Steady-Whiskey Higher.

MONDAY, April 14-6 P. M. The trade movement was still retarded by the extreme stringency in the money market and the high rates of interest. The demand for merchan-dise was moderate; but there was, nevertheless, demanded for nearly all kinds of merchantable goods. At the Produce Exchange business was very moderate and confined mostly to immediate requirements, merchants generally being disinclined to make speculative ventures, in view of the uncertainty regarding the future. Flour was quiet, but steady. The wheat market was firm, though quiet, the limited supply enabling holders to command full prices, notwithstanding the limited inquiry from both millers and shippers. Corn ruled firmer under a better demand for shipment, and better prices were realized. Oats were also firm, with a fair inquiry. Whiskey was firmer under limited receipts and a fair demand. Provisions were still firm, with a good export demand. Cotton was lower, and ruled as Mc. easier for future. Groceries were quiet and steady. Petroleum was nominally lower. Spirits turpentine

retroteum was nonmary lower. Spirits turpentine ruled firmer, while rosin was about steady.

Correc.—The market continued dull for lots from first hands, and prices of Rio were easier. In a jobbing way the out of town trade was fair at about steady prices. We quote :—Rio, ordinary cargoes, 16½c. a 16½c.; fair cargoes, 17%c. a 17%c.; good cargoes, 18c. a 18%c.; rair cargoes, 174c. a 175c.; good cargoes, 18c. a 185c.; prime cargoes, 185c. a 185c.; Java, government bags, 20c. a 21c.; do, grass mats, 195c. a 215c.; Singapore, 185c. a 175c. c ecological series, Marcalbo, a 18c.; Laguarra, 18c. a 19c.; Jamaica, 18c. a 18c.; S. Domingo, 18c.; Mexican, 18c. a 18c.; Laguarra, 18c. a 18c.; Barraira, 18c. a 18c.; Laguarra, 18c.; Potro Bico, 18c. a 18c.; Cargoe, Mexican, 175c. a 185c.; Marrial, 17c. a 185c.; Curacoa, 175c. a 185c.; Savanilia, 175c. a 185c.; Curacoa, 175c.

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ı	FLOUR AND GRAIN.—Receipts—Flour, 10, wheat, 12,840 bushels; corn, 6,900 do.; corn		
ı	this and 1 462 bars: outs, 8275 bushels: he	Plan	9. 800
	do. The flour market ruled steady under a inquiry, chiefly from the home trade. The	mode	orate
	our last foot up about 9,500 bbls. including all	kind	since
	prices within the range of the appended quota	tions	Corn
	meal was quiet, but firm. Sales 200 bbls, at \$ for Western yellow on the dock, and \$3 35 a \$3	3 26 a	\$3 25
	white. We quote:-		
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75;c. a 5c. same-saperior and extra superior, 75;c. a 5c. sitch.—Trade to-day has been only moderate, but the market remained sleady. The sales comprise about 40 tierees of Carolina, at 7½c. a 5½c., and 475 bags of Rangon, at 6½c. a 7c.

Sysamine.—The market was quiet but firm. Sales 6,000 lbs. of No. 2, at 7½c.

Tallow.—Was in tair request and firm. Sales 100 hbds. and 50,000 lbs. at 9c., and 50,000 lbs. of outside, at 8 15-16c. Whiskey.—Receipts, 346 bbls. There was a fair business consummated to-day and the market was firmer, prices closing ½c. better. Sales 325 bbls., at 91½c.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

50. Stock, 39,378.
Charleston, April 14, 1873.
Cotton quiet; middlings, 18%c. a ,18%c. Net receipts, 198 bales. Exports coastwise, 824. Sales, 300. Stock,

Sales at \$2.80.

LOUISVILLE, April 14, 1873.

Tobacco very active and strong for all grades; sales 200 bhds.

bhds,

Oswego, April 14, 1873.

Flour steady and unchanged; sales 1,000 bbls, at \$8.75 for No. 1 Spring, \$9.75 for ambur Winter, \$10.50 for white Winter, \$11 for double extra. Wheat unchanged; sales 1,000 bushels No. 2 Milwankee club at \$1 68. Corn unchanged at \$26. a \$9c. for Western. Oats quiet; State held at \$2c. Barley quiet; Canada held at \$1 12. Corn meal-

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New YORS, March 24, 1873. NEW YORK, March 24, 1873.

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Galveston, April 14, 1873.

Gil bales, Exports—To the Continent, 4,001; coastwise,
Gil. Sales, 280. Stock, 60,569.

Gil. Sales, 200. Stock, 60,569.

Cotton—Demand moderate; ordinary, 13c. a 135/c.; good ordinary, 15c. a 165/c.; low middlings, 185/c. a 185/c.; low middlings, 185/c. a 185/c. the recepts, 5,095 bales; gross, 5,795. Exports—To Great Britain, 3,748; to the Continent, 8,119. Sales, 100; isstevening, 2,500. Stock, 178,426.

Cotton quiet and weak; good ordinary, 165/c.; low middlings, 175/c. a 175/c.; middlings, 185/c. a 185/c. Net receipts, 816 bales. Exports coastwise, 234. Sales, 400. Stock, 40,433.

SIOCE, 40,483.

Cotton quiet: middlings, 1836c. Net receipts, 660 bales.
Exports—To the Continent, 1,650; coastwise, 1,748. Sales, 500. Stock, 39,578.

27,988. Wilkingron, April 14, 1872.
Spirits turpentine higher; sales at 52c. Rosin firm at \$2.75 for strained. Crude turpentine steady at \$2.25 for hard, \$5.30 for yellow dip, \$4 for virgin. Tar higher; sales at \$2.80.

delphia, Ole.; to Boston, 72c.; to New York, 82c.; to Albany, 54c. Receipts by lake—12,200 bushels barley and 174,000 feet lumber.

Grain in store—Wheat, 22,509; corn, 33,32; cats, 34,751; barley, 22,752; rye, 3,456; peas, 3,850; barley mail; 31,418 bushels. Flour onlet: sales of Western Spring at \$7,50 a \$5; amber, \$8,50 a \$9,25; white, \$9,50 a \$10. Wheat frum; sales of small lots of Milwaukee No. 2 Spring, \$1,55; Chicago do., \$1,55 a \$1,45; Duluth No. 1 do., \$1,65; white Canada, \$1,75 a \$1,90; white Michigan No. 2 Spring, \$1,55; Chicago do., \$1,55 a \$1,45; Duluth No. 1 do., \$1,65; white Canada, \$1,75 a \$1,90; white No. 2 in store at \$2.5; 2,000 do., \$1,55 a \$1,45; Duluth No. 1 do., \$1,65; white Canada, \$1,75 a \$1,90; white No. 2 in store at \$2.5; 2,000 do., \$1,55 a \$1,45; Duluth No. 1 do., \$1,65; white Canada at \$1,00; white No. 2 in store at \$2.5; 2,000 do., \$1,55 a \$1,00; white Sales at \$2.5; a \$2.5;

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COPARTNERSHIPS.

NOTICE.—ALL BUSINESS RELATIONS AND CON-nections between the subscribers and Gorham Gray terminated on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1873. New York, April 12, 1873. A. MILLIKEN. THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING A between the undersigned is this day dissolved by minual consent. The business will be hereafter conducted by George Weisshelmer on his own account at the old stand 73 Bowery.

New York, April 7, 1873. JOHN HAMM.

HEAVY FAILURE.

Suspension of the Firm of Escher & Co.—Liabilities, \$1,350,000—Dull Trade the Cause Assigned—The House at Zurich Suspends First.

Yesterday morning a report was current in and about Wall street that the well-known silk importing house of Escher & Co., having the main house in the city of Zurich, Switzerland, had failed, and a small excitement, in the absence of details of liabilities, was the result.

A representative of this paper was despatched to the firm in this city, at 473 Broome street, to ascertain full particulars, and, if possible, the cause assigned for the suspension. The concern is an old one, having been known as Escher & Co. for many years, and the senior partner of the house having been engaged in the business of exporting and importing silks for the last twentyfive years. Specialty was made by the New York firm of importing Lyons, Swiss and German siks.

firm of importing Lyons, Swiss and German siks. They enjoyed the sole agency in the United States for the sale of the black silks and Mantilla velvets of Antoine Gainet & Co., Lyons, and the delaines, merinos and couton goods of Fevey Frees & Charvet, Paris.

The members of the firm have always been accounted opulent, and in the mercantile agency books Escher & Co. Were marked among the highest in standing. The firm in this city were but little posted in regard to the disaster on the other side and were unable, therefore, to furnish any valuable information. A despatch, per cable, was received on Saturday last announcing that Escher & Co. had suspended, but stating nothing relative to the cause or regarding the liabilities of assets. It has since been learned that the liabilities of the Swiss house will reach \$1,250,000. The assets are unknown.

The business in this city has not been interrupted, and will be carried on by Mr. W. H. DeForrest, who has been notified by all the various manufacturers doing business with the oid establishment to act as their agent. Mr. DeForrest has been with the house for the last thirteen years, and he will proceed to dispose of the goods on hand. In casual conversation with a member of a large dry goods and silk firm in this city, the Hkrald reporter learned that many failures are anticipated during the present month, owing to the fact that business has been exceedingly dull. April should be a very brisk month in the dry goods line, as but little is expected to be done later in the Spring. It is positively asserted also that lack of trade was the main cause for the present suspension, a contingency that the best of merchants cannot provide against or foresee.

REAL ESTATE MATTERS.

In public transactions we have only one single sale to quote, and that was effected by Messrs. Muller, Wilkins & Co., who disposed of the three story house and lot No. 71 West Fourth street, between Wooster and Laurens, lot 25 by 100, to Mr. Arthur Gillender, by order of the executors of the late Lydia Beebee, for \$22,250,

At private sale, however, Mr. John McClave sold four lots on the southwest corner of Seventh avenue and 148th street for \$27,500, which transaction is very significant from the fact that it establishes very significant from the fact that it establishes values in this part of the city, as this is the first sale made upon which to base any calculation of prices. It requires considerable pluck in a purchaser to locate in a locality where rates of property are nominal, as is the case here, and the pioneer in such an enterprise deserves credit for his boldness, and in this instance he is sure to reap considerable pecuniary advantages.

The sale of Westchester property to be made today by Messrs. Mulier, Wilkins & Co. (noted in yesterday's Herald)—viz.: ninety valuable plots or 123 city lots hear Central avenue, between 165th and 168th streets—will be one of the important features of the day. Lots less cligibly located in Westchester have sold within the past year for \$1,260.

INCENDIARY FIRE IN BROOKLYN.

The three story frame building Nov 415 Fulton street, in the block known as "bedbug row," was burned at an early hour yesterday morning, about three o'clock. The structure was occupied by Charles Daniels, the costumer, whose loss on stock he claims to be \$6,000. His property was insured he claims to be \$6,000. His property was insured for \$2,000 in the Manhattan and Williamsburg City Insurance companies. There is also a policy for \$700 on furniture held by Daniels in the last named company. The building which is owned by Mr. Willoughby, was damaged to the extent of \$1,000; insured for \$1,500 in the Continental. The place was set on fire in several places, and the Fire Marshal, who is investigating the affair, is of the opinion that the fire was of incendiary origin. On the night of March 31 the building was set fire to, but it was early discovered, and the flames were extinguished before much damage was occasioned. There were three persons asieep in the house besides Daniels, all of whom disclaim any knowledge as to the manner of kindling the fire. The case is still under investigation.

THE BROOKLYN MALPRACTICE CASE.

The German doctress, Mrs. Kolls, the woman who was arrested on Wednesday last on suspicion o having performed an unlawful operation upon the woman who claimed to be the wife of General Arlington, was admitted to freedom by Justice Del ington, was admitted to freedom by Justice Delimar yesterday upon her own recognizance. The patient, Mrs. Arlington, who is on a fair road to recovery, under treatment received at the Long Island College Hospital, stated yesterday that she desired to have nothing to de with the prosecution of Mrs. Kolis, and declared that the misfortune of Monday week was the first false step of her life. A Miss Thomas, an intimate friend of Mrs. Arlington, has been arrested as a witness in the case, and the police contend that the invalid is an adventuress.

NEWARK CRIME AND CRIMINALS. Incendiarism-How Convicts Hood-winked the Vigilant Officer at the Court House.

John Patton and John Rowen, both young men, were arrested late on Sunday night, charged with setting fire to the stable of Mr. Thomas G. Patton, 14 Bleecker street. The latter is father of the first named alleged incendiary. Rowen admitted the truth of the accusation, but charges that Patton put him up to the job and actually did the act of firing. This remains to be seen at the examination. Yesterday William Thompson, colored, thef, and William Bougherty, shoulder-intier, were conveyed from the Essex County Jail to the Court house for trial. Both pleaded guilty, Thompson to thieving and Dougherty to assault and battery. While awaiting sentence the pair went into the water closet, tore off the ceiling boards, passed up through the Prosecutors' room, down into the Grand Jury room and passed out of the building as boid as brass and without having even once attracted the attention of the vigilant corps of lively young constables, who have three or four times within a year or so permitted criminals to walk off on their ears in the easy manner described and through the same water closet dodge. It is high time the higher officers of the Court looked lato this strange alertness of the constables. truth of the accusation, but charges that Patton

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A T A GREAT SACRIFICE, IF CALL THIS DAY, A2 private residence 113 West Eighth street (Chinter place), between Fifth and Sixth avenues—Magnificens latest style crimson satin Parlor Suit, nearly new, cost \$75 for \$200; one do, \$150; proceedel and rep Suits, \$126, \$75, and \$50; prosewood and wainut Chamber Suits, \$25 pp. Velvet, Brussels Carpets; Paintings, Mirrors, Custains, Buffet, Extension Table, Silverware, &c., for any reasonable offer. Call betore purchasing elsewhere. Cuthis out.

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